DIRECTORS ORGANIZING FOR 27th PORTERVILLE FAIR, MAY 16-17-18

PORTERVILLE – Pointing toward Porterville's 27th annual fair, May 16-17-18, directors and department chairmen, in a series of recent meetings, have started detailed planning and basic organization that includes the naming of a new director and the reelection of three directors to the board.

Gerald Lumley has been named to the fair board and also elected secretary, succeeding Bob Board who will remain as a director through the 1974 fair and who will assist Lumley.

Reelected to the board for four-year terms were Wilbert Moench, Bob Bennett and Bill Rodgers; resigning from the board because of business commitments was Bob Dusek; completing his term on the board in 1973 and not seeking reappointment was Roscoe Honeycutt.

Officers of the fair board now are: Rodgers, president; Joe Faure, vice president; Lumley, secretary; and Mel Carter, treasurer. Other directors are: Guido Lombardi, Doug Webb, Jim Heusdens, George Carter, Chester Gilbert, and Loren Schmid.

Porterville Jaycees, commissioned by fair directors to again sell exhibit space and program advertising, plan to get started early in February with Jaycee President Gary Wallace and Chuck Howell in charge.

Since a new layout design for outdoor exhibit space last year did not meet with approval of exhibitors, space for the 1974 fair will again be in rectangular areas.

As for the indoor exhibit building, directors plan some improvements this year, but major emphasis is now on design - and finance plan - for a new exhibit building, however no firm estimate has been made as yet on possible construction date.

But directors have authorized the placing of metal roofing on the two north livestock barns and bids are being obtained on chain link fence and gates for the north and east sides of the grounds.

Information for the fair's 1974 premium book is now being compiled and should go to the printer within a few days; in charge of premium book production is Bill Reece.

Renewal of a five-year agreement between the City of Porterville and the fair board for use of the city ball park during the fair is now being worked out, with minor changes to be presented to the Porterville city council.

Regular meeting dates for the fair board have been set as the first Wednesday in each month.



GERALD LUMLEY, newly-named director of the Porterville fair who has taken over as fair board secretary, succeeding Bob Board, who plans to continue as a fair director through the 1974 year. (Farm Tribune photo)

WAY BILL TO GIVE GREATER COUNTY-LEVEL CONTROL

SACRAMENTO – Senator Howard Way, of Exeter, announced in Sacramento that he has introduced legislation giving counties greater control over local tax dollars while saving time and money at the state level.

Way said, "Whenever a county desires to change its rate of compensation to grand jurors, coroners' jurors, and others similarly situated, the approval of the Legislature is necessary. This means that legislation must be introduced, passed, and signed into law."

Way's bill would vest in county boards of supervisors the authority for regulating per diem and mileage rates, thus eliminating the need for costly and time-consuming legislation.

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MORSE CONTROLS IS "DOING VERY WELL" IN ITS PORTERVILLE PLANT

54 Persons Are On Payroll Of New Industrial Firm

PORTERVILLE – Morse Controls, one of this community's new industries, "is doing very well" after its first four months of operation, according to plant manager, Neil Bruce.

A division of Rockwell International, the new industrial firm is now manufacturing marine engine controls and steering systems in the plant formerly occupied by Rockwell Manufacturing at Freeway 65 and Pioneer.

At present, 54 persons are on the payroll, all of them local except 5 members of the management staff who were brought to Porterville from Hudson, Ohio, where Morse Controls was started and where the main office of the Morse Controls Division is located. All hiring is being done through the Porterville office of the State of California Employment Development Department.

Announcement that Morse Controls was coming to Porterville was made on July 13 of last year. Their first employee, who had formerly been with Rockwell Manufacturing, was hired on September 4; and their first shipment was made on September 20.

"Our progress during the start-up phase of our operation has been very good as indicated in our monthly reports for the first quarter of our 1974 fiscal year," says Bruce. (This report covers the months of October through December, 1973.)

Bruce states that product shipments have gone from the Porterville plant to outlets in California, Washington, Texas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, and other states.

"We're even in Disneyland," he says. "Boats used there for the 'Jungle Cruise' utilize Morse Controls systems."

The Morse "single lever" control to regulare throttle and shift for most types of marine propulsion, and Morse steering control systems, are designed for boats ranging in size from small runabouts to larger cabin cruisers, house boats, and ocean-going fishing boats.

Production at the Porterville plant involves facilities utilizing screw machines, mills, lathes, finishing operations including bonderizing, degreasing, painting and tumbling; a control and cable assembly department; inspection, injection molding, and stamping.

Started in 1941 as Morse Instrument Company, the first product was a line of aerial wing cameras produced for the U.S. Army Air Force. After World War II, the company founder, John Morse, invented a single lever control system that "revolutionized the marine industry," then later developed the Morse "Command" boat steering system.

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MARINE ENGINE Controls and Steering Systems are what it's all about at the former Rockwell Manufacturing company plant in Porterville, where Morse Controls, a division of Rockwell International, went into operation last September. Officials of the company, from left top, include: Neil Bruce plant manager; Jim Meeker, plant superintendent; Jim Smith, purchasing; Gary Gregrow, production control; David Lawrence, plant accounting; and Mike Helgeson, industrial engineer. Lower photos show various operations on the controls assembly line and in the cable assembly department. Morse Controls announced that it was coming to Porterville on July 13 of last year, first employee was hired on September 4; first shipment was made on September 20; and plant operation has been moving smoothly since then. Additional photos of the plant interior are included on page 2.

LUNCHEON WILL HONOR GORDON DUFFY

VISALIA – Assemblyman Gordon Duffy will be the honored guest at a $50 per plate fund-raising luncheon in the Visalia Elks lodge dining room next Monday noon, and will deliver a major address in which he is expected to formally announce his candidacy for reelection as an assemblyman in the newly-created 32nd district.

Serving at 12:30 p.m. will be preceded by a cocktail hour starting at 11:30 a.m. Guests will be entertained by the "Antique Agonizers," a

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YMCA DRIVE STARTS FEB. 1; BREAKFAST SET

PORTERVILLE – Annual financial campaign for the Porterville-area YMCA will be organized at a breakfast meeting Monday morning in the Grand Avenue Methodist church, starting at 7 a.m., with campaign kickoff set for Friday, February 1.

Under the general chairmanship of Paul Kercher, a goal of $7,500 has been set for the community.

Campaign leaders assisting Kercher in making final arrangements are Dick Hatfield,

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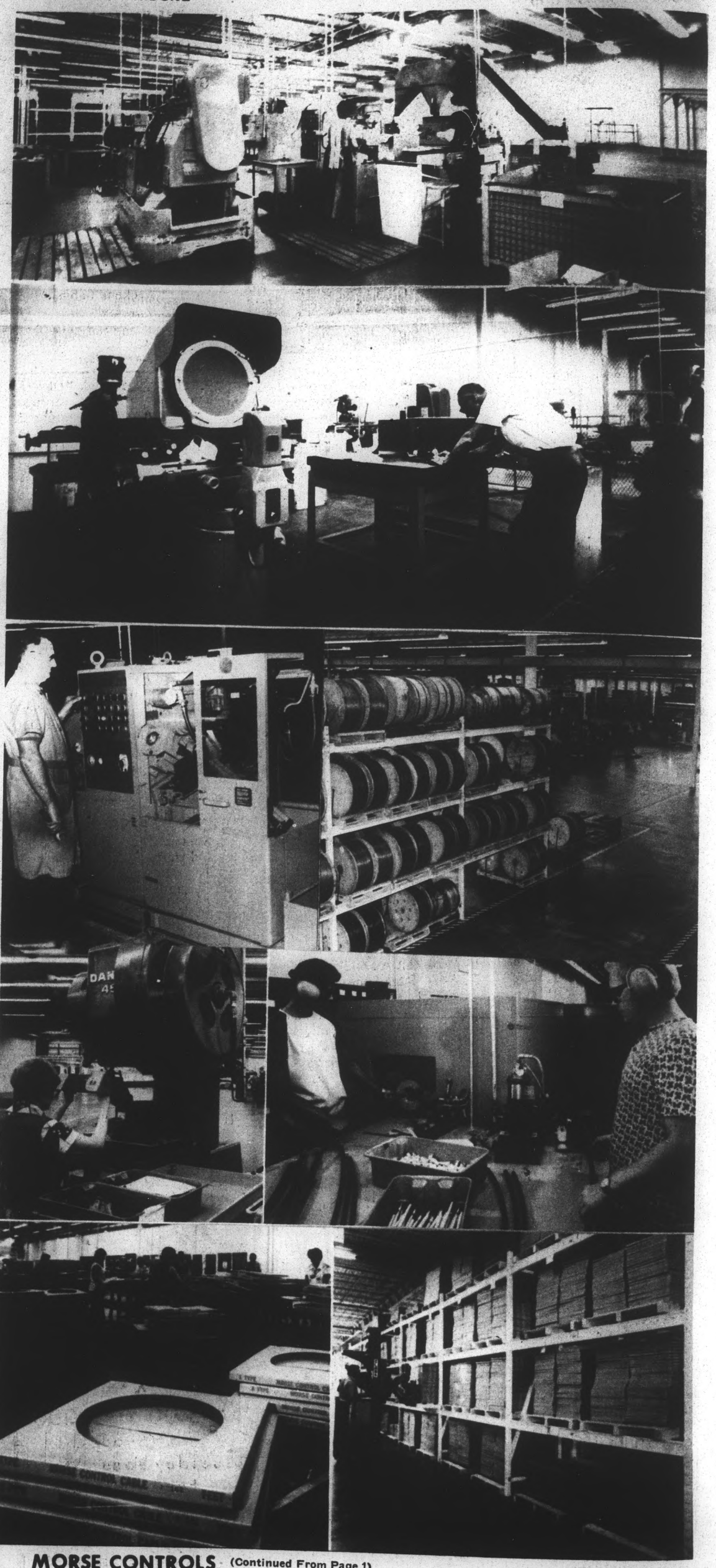
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SOL TAYLOR, Orange — "To thwart (skyjacking) those nations that harbor these murderers should be boycotted . . . No international carriers should land there, no foreign exports should be delivered there, foreign embassies and consulates should close up and move out."

PHOTOS INDICATE activities inside the Porterville plant of Morse Controls, from top: Secondary machine operations; tool manufacturing area; automatic bar machine and spools of conduit used in cable manufacturing - 2,500 feet to the spool; punch press operations and cable manufacturing; cables ready for inventory and finished cable inventory. (Story and additional photos, page 1)



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MORSE CONTROLS (Continued From Page 1)

In 1969, Morse Contols Inc. was acquired by North American Rockwell which subsequently became Rockwell International, with its mechanical controls division comprised of the eight manufacturing facilities of Morse Controls plus Teleflex-Morse in England.

Locally, Rockwell Manufacturing, which merged into Rockwell International phased out its Porterville operation in 1972, and, until Morse Controls came in, employed only about a dozen people in the warehousing of gas meters.

As for reaction of the Morse Control people to Porterville, Bruce, who came from Ohio, says, "All of us feel very much at home here. The Porterville people are friendly and many were most generous in helping us get the plant into operation and in introducing us around the community. As for your winter weather - well I can hardly believe it. I'm used to an Ohio winter - snow, ice, zero temperatures. Those of us who came from the middle west are really enjoying Porterville."

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NOTICE TO EDISON CUSTOMERS:

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION ORDERS FURTHER CUTS IN USE OF ELECTRICITY.

Your efforts are helping to save electricity and oil. In December, reduced electric consumption saved the equivalent of about one-half million barrels of fuel oil in Edison generating plants alone.

But now there is a need for even greater conservation. Therefore, the State Public Utilities Commission has ordered an additional 5% reduction in the use of electricity over the original 10% curtailment that it ordered in November.

This means that the Commission is now asking us (and other electric utilities throughout the state) to urge you to cut back a total of 15%.

Immediate Action Urged

The order calls for additional, voluntary conservation efforts by *all* Edison customers to achieve this 15% reduction in electric usage.

Mandatory Curtailment

The order also requires certain mandatory reductions for commercial and industrial customers, and a few mandatory cutbacks for residential customers. The elimination of outdoor decorative lighting and the operation of fountains applies to residential as well as all other customers. However, commercial and industrial customers are also restricted in their use of advertising lighting, functional outdoor lighting, electricity used for public gatherings, indoor business lighting, and heating and cooling at variance from prescribed levels. Detailed suggestions to help business firms and factories meet the mandatory restrictions will be mailed to them.

You're probably wondering how best to cut back further at home. Here are some suggestions.

How to Measure Electricity

Electricity is measured in kilowatt-hours (KWH). A KWH is 1,000 watts of electricity used for one hour—or 100 watts used for 10 hours. For example, a 100-watt bulb burned for 10 hours is one KWH.

Last year our average residential customer used about 500 kilowatt-hours a month. That's about 17 KWH a day. So, to cut back 15% would mean using about 2-1/2 KWH less a day.

ENERGY USED TO OPERATE TYPICAL APPLIANCES (KWH = Kilowatt-hour)

Remember, one kilowatt-hour is 1,000 watts of electricity used for one hour, or 100 watts—such as a 100-watt light bulb—used for 10 hours.

100-watt light bulb	1/10 KWH per hour	Range (Electric)	1 KWH per meal
40-watt light bulb	1/25 KWH per hour	Microwave Oven	1-1/3 KWH per hour
Clothes Dryer (Electric)	3-1/3 KWH per load	Room Air Conditioner (Summer Season)	1-1/2 KWH per hour
Clothes Washer	1/3 KWH per load	Television—Black & White	1/4 KWH per hour
Food Waste Disposer	1/100 KWH per load	Color	1/3 KWH per hour
Dishwasher (rinse, wash & dry)	1 KWH per load	Water Heater (Electric)	13-1/2 KWH per day
Food Waste Compactor	1/5 KWH per load		
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20 cu. ft.	5-1/4 KWH per day	Coffee Maker	1 KWH per hour
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Refrigerator Freezer—Manual Defrost		Electric Fry Pan	1/2 KWH per hour
16 cu. ft.	3-2/3 KWH per day	Mixer	1/8 KWH per hour
20 cu. ft.	5-1/3 KWH per day	Blender	2/5 KWH per hour
24 cu. ft.	7 KWH per day	Electric Knife	1/10 KWH per hour
Refrigerator—Frost Free		Hand Iron	1 KWH per hour
16 cu. ft.	5 KWH per day	Electric Blanket	1/5 KWH per hour
20 cu. ft.	7 KWH per day	Hair Dryer	3/5 KWH per hour
24 cu. ft.	8-3/4 KWH per day		

Your appliances will operate more efficiently and conserve energy if you follow manufacturers' instructions for use and care.

Keep Your Heat Down

If you've set your heater's thermostat down to 68°, you're saving kilowatt-hours already (and if you lower your thermostat more when you go to bed, you'll cut back even more). Even if your space heating is not electric, it probably uses electricity to circulate air through your home or apartment. So lowering your thermostat will conserve it.

You Can Reduce Kilowatt-Hours by Cutting Back on Your Use of Appliances

Listed below are some typical appliances and the amounts of electricity they use.

As you can see, a color TV set uses about 1/3 KWH per hour. Use it three hours less, and you've saved one KWH.

A clothes washer uses 1/3 KWH per load. An electric dryer uses 3-1/3 KWH. You can save kilowatt-hours if you delay doing a wash until you have a full load.

An automatic dishwasher uses one KWH per load. By waiting to use the dishwasher until it's full, you'll reduce the number of times you use it and save still more kilowatt-hours.

Use Less Lighting

Switching from 100 to 60-watt bulbs will save 40 watts per hour—per bulb. And be sure to turn off all lights throughout the house when not really needed.

Check the list for other ways to "make every kilowatt count." And for 70 other ways to conserve electricity, send for our free booklet. Write: "Conservation," Edison, P.O. Box 800, Rosemead, CA 91770.



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SAN FRANCISCO – The 1974 edition of "Your Federal Income Tax" is now available at Internal Revenue Service offices in Northern California and most post offices.

The IRS said the perennial best-seller contains detailed tax information on such items as interest and dividends, rental income, sales and dispositions of assets, standard vs. itemized deductions, and adjustments to income, including moving expenses, sick pay, and employees' business expenses.

The guide includes several filled-in schedules and forms that illustrate subjects covered in the text. The 192-page booklet also summarizes important changes in the tax law and alerts taxpayers to the effect of the changes on their own tax situations.

Those taxpayers who have special situations or who want more comprehensive information on specific tax circumstances may want to use the order blank in the back of the book for additional tax forms and publications.

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FARM FRONT

VISALIA – Recent rains have reduced field activities to a virtual standstill on the Tulare county farm front, according to report for the week ending January 19 from the office of Agricultural Commissioner Clyde Churchill. In other commodity areas, Churchill reported:

Small grains are growing well and have good color, but a shot of sunshine would help; some growers have been unable to plant because of wet soil.

Pruning is continuing in walnut and deciduous fruit orchards and in vineyards. Commercial nurseries have about completed season digging of deciduous fruit trees and ornamentals.

Navel oranges are being picked and shipped with good sales reported. Minneola Tangelos and some Pummelos (Chinese grapefruit) are being picked.

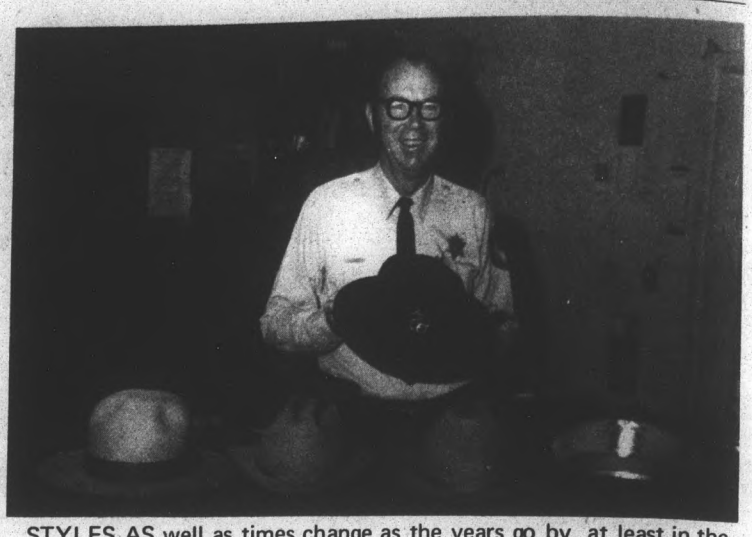
Cauliflower is being picked and packed; some onions for spring and early summer harvest are being planted.

Rangeland moisture conditions are very good; foothill areas are receiving enough sunshine for good grass growth; cattle and calves are in good condition.

GOLDEN HILLS CLUB JOINS IN TAG DAYS

SPRINGVILLE – Members of Golden Hills 4-H club began conducting tag days in Springville starting on Saturday, January 19, to raise funds for the fight against muscular dystrophy, according to Naoma Gibson, club Leader. Special canisters will be used until St. Patrick's day.

Mrs. Gibson also stated, "Money collected from tag days is used to support the association's research and patient service programs. It helps to provide medical attention and orthopedic equipment for local patients who could not otherwise afford these services. It also assists in funding research projects which are searching for the cause and cure for muscular dystrophy and other related neuromuscular diseases."



STYLES AS well as times change as the years go by, at least in the case of official hats prescribed by the California Department of Fish and Game for use of game wardens. Warden Ed Moore, of Porterville, is shown with the hats that have been used since he joined the service back in 1952 - from left, Hat No. 1 that was being worn prior to and in the early '50s and that had a distinctive leather band with engraved designs of trees, bear and deer. This hat is still used by the U.S. Park service and by personnel of the California division of beaches and parks, each with a distinctive band. Hat No. 2 became the fish and game department style about 1958; Hat No. 3 came in about 1960 and it was this hat that Ed was wearing during the memorable incident in San Francisco's Fairmont hotel when Porterville's Centennial delegation visited the City by the Bay in 1961. Hat No. 4 is still being worn as a dress hat; Hat No. 5 that Ed is holding, is now the official field hat, adopted in 1973, with a straw version for summer use. Department of Fish and Game shoulder patches have also changed, however, the basic warden uniform is still pretty much the same as it was when Ed became a warden. Why the change in hats? Ed says he has no idea, except that someone in the department thinks a new hat is a good idea - and he gets the word. (Farm Tribune photo)

DUCOR 4-H MEMBERS HEAR REPORTS

DUCOR – The monthly meeting of the Ducor 4-H club was called to order by the club president, Julie Swartzlander, at the Ducor School cafeteria; pledge to the flag was led by Clay Warner, and the 4-H pledge by Butch Zimmerman.

Treasurer's report was given by Rianna Baxley; Conrad Zimmerman reported on mailing of meeting reports; leading singing were Sandy Lawrence, Rianna Baxley, and Sherry Zimmerman.

The Ducor Women's club has invited members who are giving 4-H demonstrations this month, to a meeting at the Ducor Women's club.

Sandy Lawrence received her Bronze star from Opel Todd. It was announced that Debbie Todd will compete in the Five County central San Joaquin Valley district in a statewide wool dressmaking competition at the Ramada Inn, Fresno.

Gordon Todd presented Donnie Castle with an individual trophy which Donnie won at the Tulare County fair in an all Meat Judging contest, competing against all novice, juniors, seniors, and adults.

The Club has accepted an invitation from the Westfield 4-H club to a Skating Party.

The Club received a "Thank You" card from the Porterville State Hospital thanking members for the Christmas gifts donated to the wards.

Projects reports were given by Rianna Baxley, her 5th year in 4-H, Joni Hightower 3rd, Nancy Rankins her 4th year, Mike Flynn, 5th year, and Butch Zimmerman, his 6th year.

Members giving demonstrations before the club were: Nancy Rankins, "Training A Guide Dog;" Peter Wellendorf, "Smart Sanding;" and Cory Wellendorf and Don Sprayberry, "A Camera Everybody Can Afford."

Mike Flynn, a Southern California Edison company representative, spoke to members and their parents on "How To Conserve Energy."

Butch Zimmerman was appointed chairman for the coming 4-H skating party.

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SEED MUST BE DISPOSED OF

SACRAMENTO – The once normal practice of planting mercury-treated seed is now under a complete ban in California, the Department of Food and Agriculture has announced.

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AGRICULTURE GUARANTEED 100% OF FUEL NEEDED TO PRODUCE FOOD

SACRAMENTO — Announcement by the Federal Energy Office that U.S. agriculture will be guaranteed 100 percent of current needs for gasoline and diesel fuel to produce the food the nation needs came as good news to the country's farmers, processors and distributors, and particularly those in California.

State Food and Agriculture Director C.B. Christensen said that California pressed strongly for agriculture to be number one in priority, and the fact that it received this status can be attributed in good part to our efforts.

Agriculture is the state's biggest industry with nearly $8 billion in cash farm receipts last year, Christensen reports. California accounts for about 10 percent of the nation's total farm production value.

"The announcement that agriculture will be allocated all the gasoline and diesel fuel it needs to do its job, even if other users have to be cut back, points up the obvious fact that the production of food and fiber is the basic need of our country and its people," Christensen said.

"However," he cautioned, "the new regulations clearly state that no agricultural user shall accept or use these supplies in excess of his current requirement. This means that these fuels may not be used for transportation, unless directly connected with agricultural production, or sold or diverted to any other purpose.

"Since other industries or users may have to tighten their belts in order that agriculture can meet its needs," he added, "then we have not only the legal responsibility but the moral obligation as well to make sure that these allocations are used only for the purpose intended."

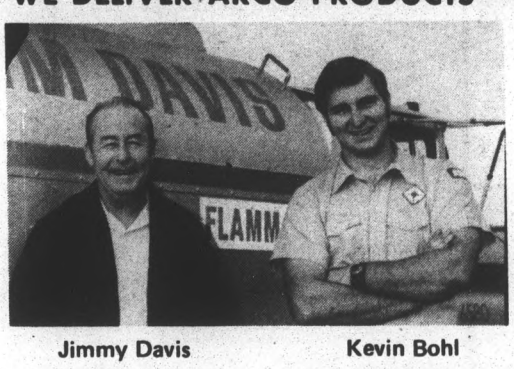
Christensen said that the new regulations also provide that other fuels such as propane, butane, aviation gas, heating oil, and residual fuel oils will be available to agricultural production to meet current needs, but that in time of short supply these may be reduced proportionately if supplies are insufficient.

Agricultural production is defined in the new regulations from the Federal Energy office as ". . .commercial farming, dairy, poultry, livestock, horticulture, forestry and fishing activities and services directly related to the planting, cultivation, harvesting, processing and distribution of fiber, timber, tobacco and food intended for human consumption and animal feed."

Alfalfa seed production totalling 25.8 million pounds in California during 1973, was down 18 percent from 1972; reason - reduced acreage and lower average per-acre yield.

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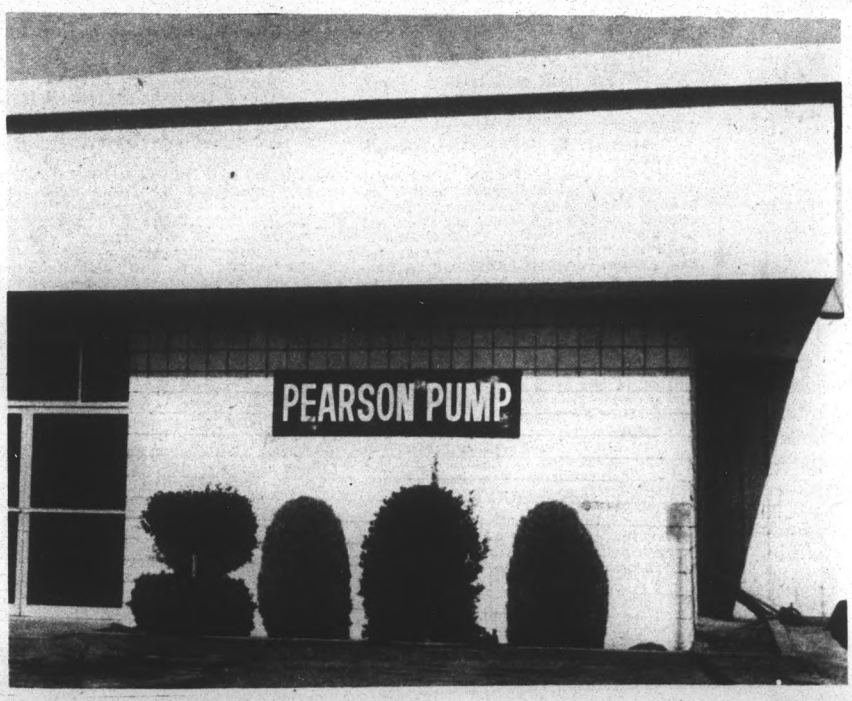

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COUNTY MEN ARE ELECTED TO SUNKIST BOARD

LOS ANGELES – Eight San Joaquin Valley men were elected to the board of directors of Sunkist Growers, Inc. at the 80th annual meeting of the citrus marketing cooperative held at the Beverly Wilshire hotel.

New on the 30-man board are Luis Caratan of Delano, representing the Central California Citrus Exchange, and Rodger Jensen of Fresno, for the Mid-California Citrus Exchange.

Reelected for one-year terms were: Robert Bennett, Porterville, Tulare County Fruit Exchange; Harvey Chase, Orange Cove, and Jack M. Dungan, Exeter, Mid-California Citrus Exchange; David I. Kline, Visalia, Central California Citrus Exchange; Jess E. Swift, Visalia, Visalia Fruit Exchange; and Ralph R. Tyrrell, Porterville, Tulare-Kern Citrus Exchange.

At the organizational meeting of the board, John V. Newman of Ventura was reelected chairman. Dungan was one of three vice-chairmen named, along with A.W. Bodine of Phoenix and R.A. Hardison of Santa Paula.

Headquartered at Sherman Oaks, Sunkist is the marketing organization for some 8,000 citrus growers in California and Arizona.

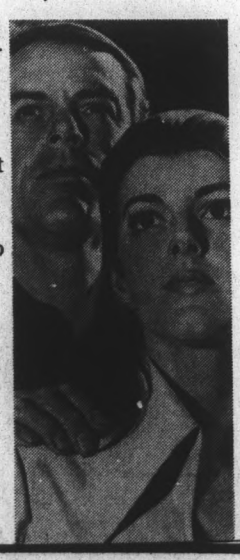


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Estate of
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law offices of Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk, Attorneys at Law, 141 East Mill Avenue, Porterville, California, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated January 7, 1974.
FANCHON L. MULLER
Executrix of the Will of the above named decedent
Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk
Attorneys at Law
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Telephone: (209) 784-5064
Attorneys for Executrix
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Juanita Bunning, Deputy
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DEMOCRAT CONVENTION IN VISALIA

VISALIA – The United Democrats of Fresno, Tulare and Kings counties will hold an endorsing convention at the Visalia Convention Center on Sunday, February 3, it has been announced by Convention Chairman Walter Gorelich, of Visalia.

All declared Democrats are invited to attend and express their preferences on the party's candidates for both state and local offices, Gorelich says.

He noted that the convention will endorse candidates for the 31st and 32nd Assembly seats and the 17th Congressional district, but that a "straw poll" only would be conducted for state-wide offices.

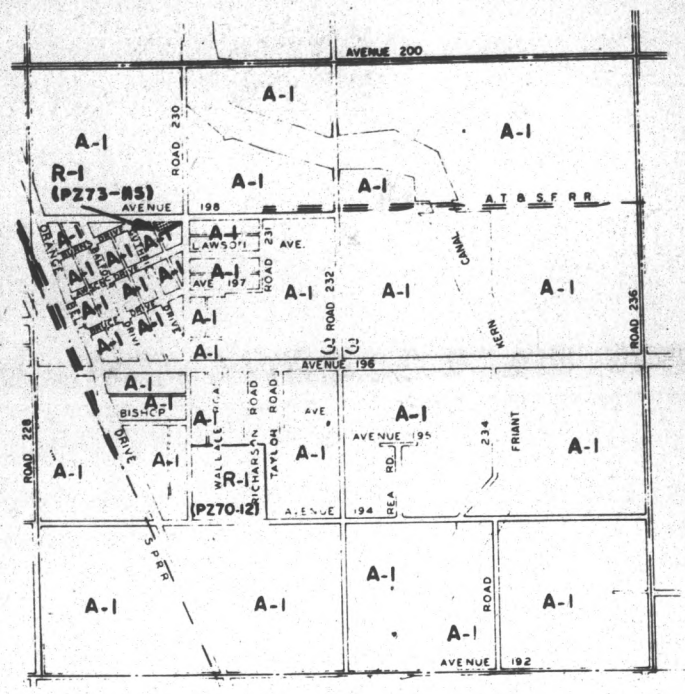
Gubernatorial candidates who have said they will appear at the convention include San Francisco Mayor Joseph Alioto, Congressman Jerome Waldie, and William Roth.

Other statewide candidates slated to appear in the morning are State Senator Mervyn Dymally, David Robertii, John Merlo, Assemblywoman March Fong and Herman Sillas.

The convention is being sponsored by the Democratic clubs in Fresno, Tulare and Kings counties. Convention hours are from 9 to 5; coffee and donuts will be available in the morning and afternoon.

Wet weather has generally slowed harvest of cauliflower, broccoli, cabbage, potatoes and carrots in California's producing areas.

LEGAL NOTICE



ORDINANCE NO. 1674
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THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF TULARE DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Paragraph B of Section 3 of Ordinance No. 352 of the County of Tulare is hereby amended by the adoption of an amended map of the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of Section 33, Township 20 South, Range 27 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, being a subdivision of Part 274 of the Official (Precise) Zoning Map, which amended map is hereby adopted and made a part hereof.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days from the date of the passage hereof, and prior to the expiration of fifteen (15) days from the passage hereof shall be published once in The Farm Tribune, a newspaper printed and published in the County of Tulare, State of California, together with the names of the Board of Supervisors voting for and against the same.

THE FOREGOING ORDINANCE was passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Tulare, State of California, on the 15th day of January, 1974, at a regular meeting of said Board, duly and regularly convened on said day, by the following vote:

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Donald M. Hillman
Robert E. Harrell
Fred Batkin
Raymond J. Muller
NOES:
None
ABSENT:
None
Fred Batkin
Chairman, Board of Supervisors, County of Tulare
ATTEST: JAY C. BAYLESS, County Clerk and Ex-officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Tulare.
Carol Santos, Deputy
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS
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OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF TULARE
No. 23218

Estate of
HANNAH E. PETERSON, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law offices of Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk, Attorneys at Law, 141 East Mill Avenue, Porterville, California 93257, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated January 4, 1974.
CARL W. PETERSON
Executor of the Will of the above named decedent
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS
SUPERIOR COURT OF THE
STATE OF CALIFORNIA FOR
THE COUNTY OF TULARE

Estate of
HELEN ISIDORA CARTER, Deceased.

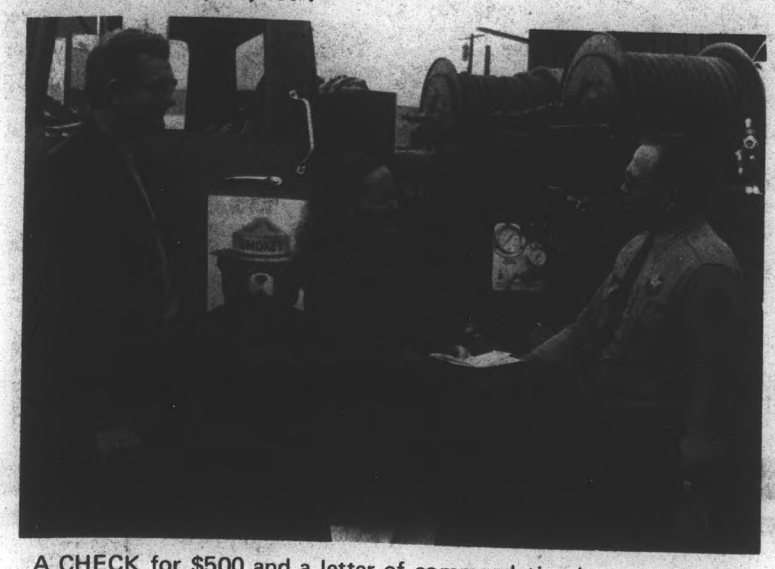
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A CHECK for $500 and a letter of commendation has gone to Mrs. Doris F. Smith, center, of Porterville, for her efforts in providing information and identification that resulted in arrest of three youths involved in setting 12 grass fires in the area east of Porterville on June 18, 1973. Making the presentations to Mrs. Smith are Phil Olson, left, operations officer in charge of Wildland Protection in Tulare county for the California Division of Forestry; and Gene Sadler, arson investigator. Tulare county Ranger Unit's Chief Ranger Raymond H. Banks stated that of all fires in wildland areas of California, 22% are intentionally set and that the Tulare Ranger Unit experienced a 110% increase in incendiary fires in the foothill and mountain areas during 1973 fire season. "If concerned citizens such as Mrs. Smith will come forth with information they may have concerning fires, we will be able to make a significant reduction in these disastrous fires," says Banks. Anyone having information on persons responsible for fires are urged to contact their nearest CDF station.

FRIDAY IS FINAL DAY FOR REGISTRATION

PORTERVILLE – Deadline for registration in credit classes at Porterville college for the spring semester, which began on January 14, will be Friday, January 25, according to Dr. Paul R. Kercher, vice president and dean of students.

Registration for non-credit classes which have already been announced, and which are planned for later in the semester, is not subject to the deadline, Dr. Kercher said.

Day class registration may be made at the registrar's office from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. through Friday; for evening division classes only, from 1 to 4 p.m. and 6:30-9:30 p.m., through Thursday, and during regular office hours on Friday.

Total registration for the spring semester probably will approach that of the 1973 second semester, Dr. Kercher said, with a drop in day enrollments to be offset by an increase in evening enrollments.

REPORTS HEARD AT VANDALIA 4-H MEETING

VANDALIA – The Vandalia 4-H Club held its January meeting with President Greg Bennett presiding. Flag salute was led by Julie Sherwood and Bill Shannon; 4-H pledge was led by Jay Faure; songs were led by Luanne Graves, Suzanne Graves, Susan Golden and Leisa Milford.

Secretary Sylver Corkins called roll and read the minutes of the last meeting; treasurer Leslie Laux read the treasurer's report; Sylver Corkins reported on the Porterville City Hall trip that will be held February 19.

Project reports were given by Jillaine and Larry Hammond and Mark and Terry Hayden.

Demonstrations were given by: Steven Knapp on "Model Rockets"; Jennifer Rippee on "Cooking"; Richard Homer on "Sheep"; Walter Doyle on "Mini Gardens"; Susan Golden on "Making a Sleeping Bag"; and Katherine Homer on "Soil Mixture.

The Farm Tribune BILLBOARD

JANUARY
- 24 - Prune Day Program, Exeter
- 24 - Meeting, Citrus Fertilizing, Exeter
- 25-26 - "Plaza Suite," Barn Theater
- 28 - Duffy Luncheon, Visalia
- 29 - Blood Bank, Porterville Elks Lodge
- 30 - Tul. Co. Cattlemen's Meeting, Visalia

FEBRUARY
- 1 - 1974 YMCA Fund Drive
- 1-2-8-9 - "Plaza Suite," Barn Theater
- 2 - Porterville Chamber Annual Banquet, Monache Campus Center
- 10 - Close, Springville-Sierra Rodeo Queen Contest Sign-up
- 12-13-14 - California Farm Equipment Show, Tulare
- 13-14-15-16 - "Hello Dolly," Port. Mem. Aud.
- 16 - Whiskey Flat Days Parade, Kernville
- 16 - Pride Of Porterville Basketball - Boy Scout Benefit
- 23 - City of Hope Spectacular, Memorial Aud.
- 23 - "Y" Day At Disneyland
- 24 - Springville Lions Club Ham Dinner

APRIL
- 13 - Jackass Mail Run
- 20-21 - Springville-Sierra Rodeo
- 27 - PUHS Class of '34 Reunion, Terra Bella

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Jim Bakotich Former Porterville Bank Manager, To Retire This Month

PORTERVILLE – Thursday, January 24 is Jim Bakotich Day in Sacramento for Bank Americans. The retiring Credit Chief of the northern division of Bank of America will be honored at a retirement banquet organized by his associates in Regional Credit Administration No. 3525 with headquarters in Sacramento.

According to Milt Richardson, B of A vice-president and chairman of the banquet committee, the dinner and program to be held in the Martinique room of the Sacramento inn will be "a party like none other, a playful roast to honor that lovable kid, Jim Bakotick, after an illustrious and dedicated career with our bank."

Bakotick, who served as Vice-President Manager of the Porterville branch of Bank of America from April 1954 to November 1957 will retire officially on January 31, after 47 years in banking. He joined Bank of America at the age of 18, in 1927. Today, he is recognized as one of Bank of America's leading farm credit experts.

While in Porterville, Bakotich was active in Rotary, the Chamber of Commerce and Porterville Muni Men's Gold association.

Traveling from Porterville to Sacramento for the festivities will be Mr. and Mrs. Marino De Paoli and their son, David. Mrs. De Paoli, the former Sally Bakotich, is the retiree's elder daughter and a teacher for the past 11 years at Porterville High school.

Completing the family group to honor Bakotich will be Jim's wife, Hazel and younger daughter, Susan and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Vasconcellos and their three children, Angela, Elena and Eddie. Vasconcellos is pro-manager of Roseville's Diamond Oaks Municipal Golf course.

Following retirement, Bakotich will be able to devote more time to his favorite avocation, golf, and his association with Northridge Country club in Sacramento.

Luncheon

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Dixieland musical group composed of local business and professional men.

A number of political dignitaries have been invited to attend the luncheon which will mark Duffy's 10 years of legislative service in the State Assembly. Ticket reservations can be made in Visalia by phoning 732-4504; in Porterville by contacting Barney Richardson.

Way Bill

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"The Legislative Budget committee reported that in 1972, the average direct cost of a single bill was $1070," said Way. "When you consider that there are 58 classes of counties in California, each requiring separate legislation, it becomes obvious that the present system needs to be up-dated."

"Basically," Way said, "my concern is that county supervisors who are elected to represent our local interests should decide how local tax dollars will be spent without seeking the approval of the Legislature."

Farmers Must Act To Protect Their Electrical Power Supply

VISALIA – While agriculture has been assured adequate fuel to meet expanding national requirements for food and fiber production, a shortage of electrical energy poses a real problem, members of Friant Water Users association were told at their January meeting in Visalia.

A reliable supply of electric power is needed both by irrigation districts to deliver surface supplies of water and by farmers in pumping water for crops from the underground.

James F. Sorensen, association secretary, urged that all water pumping and distribution facilities be placed in tip-top operating condition to conserve energy and help lessen the likelihood of rolling brownouts during the 1974 water year.

These brownouts, particularly if unannounced, would be extremely damaging to crops in the San Joaquin valley because of the importance of proper timeing of irrigation water applications, Sorensen explained.

There also should be a continuing effort to get maximum benefit from each acre foot of water by further improvements in water application methods, Sorensen added.

Sorensen said that between operations of the various irrigation districts and the Bureau of Reclamation's Tracy pumps, about 600 million kilowatt hours of electricity were required to operate the Friant unit during 1973. This does not include individual farmer-owned pumps, which represent about 500,000 horsepower in the Friant service area.

While the agricultural load is an important part of total energy used in the San Joaquin valley, it represents less than 5% of the statewide total of power generated for all uses, including domestic, commercial and industrial.

Agriculture's need for an uninterrupted supply of electrical energy has been explained by Friant association representatives in hearings before the California Public Utilities commission, Sorensen said.

YMCA Drive

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Jacob Rankin, Robert Bray, Robert Perez, Robert Matzke, Dick Brady, and Myron Corwin, last year's chairman.

Volunteer workers who have been added since lists were last published include Pat Hayes, Phil Newhouse, Waymond Inman, Charles Moll, Madelyne Robertson, Lucy Timmons, Raymond Voight, Andy Ptomey, Boby Thomson, Loretta Thomson, Earl Wilkerson, Amie Bennett, Reba Wilkerson, Don Wise, Jack Havery, Charles Henson, Ramona Henson, and Carl Smith.

GOLDEN HILLS 4-H CLUB PLANS VARIED ACTIVITY

By Caroline Bodley

SPRINGVILLE – The January meeting of Golden Hills 4-H was highlighted by the attendance of more parents than usual. The club hopes to have more parents attend all club meetings in the future.

Flag ceremony opened the meeting and was followed by roll call, minutes, and officers reports. Other reports were given by Mrs. Barbara Bodley, next County 4-H Council meeting; Priscilla Darling, Lindsay 4-H skating party; Cindy Cagle, Christmas party decorations; Karen Atkin, record books, Audubon Society Christmas bird count, penny drive for National 4-H Center, and square dance caller for Christmas party; and Mrs. Shirley Mitchell, 4-H jackets.

The club planned a snow party to be held March 9th. Members and adults will be collecting donations for the Muscular Dystrophy association in downtown Springville. There will also be donation canisters throughout Springville for several weeks.

The club also discussed the family night potluck to be held February 11. Each family is asked to bring table service and a main dish, salad, or dessert. The club will furnish coffee, punch, and bread.

Demonstrations were given by Betsy Atkin and Pam Gibson, clothing; Albon Ash and Chris Payne, electric; David Wells, John Machado, and Brian Mullen, woodworking; and Lynn, Gayle, Jean, and Dean Metcalfe, foods.

Project reports were given by Priscilla Darling, Samantha Mitchell, Tracy Rutherford, Kathleen Polhamus, Debbie Morris, Betsy Atkin, Lorielyn Clark, and Deborah Valenzuela.

The meeting was adjourned after singing and recreation.



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